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Title: KITS FOR EXTRACTING NUCLEIC ACID AND METHOD OF EXTRACTING  
NUCLEIC ACID BY USING THE KITS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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**RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

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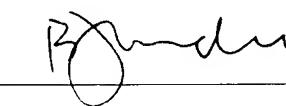
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- Biochemical Sequence Listing
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- English Translation of the IA
- Information Disclosure Statements
- Oath or Declaration
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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

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